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Memorial Service At Anglican Church.

Rev. Swanson Delivers Inspiring
Address to Large Congregation

A large and earnest congregation gathered in the Anglican Church on Sunday last to pay their last respects to the honored dead who have fallen in the defence of their country.

The form of service was similar to that held last year comprising the Order of Service for the Burial of the Dead, with its majestic challenges to those who sooth and its comforting assurance to those who mourn, that those who have departed die only in the body and yet are asleep in the Lord.

Rev. A. C. Swanson who officiated delivered one of the most eloquent addresses ever heard in connection with the war and dwelt especially upon the greatness and nobility of the sacrifices which the men who have fallen have made. Speaking from the text—"Greater love hath no man than this, that he laid down his life for his friends." Mr. Swanson said:

"The present time is one of universal bereavement. Scarcely a home is there which has not its vacant chair, which does not contain the picture of a loved one, whose face will never more be seen on earth. Death is the common lot of all, but if we can only regard it as the entrance to a richer fuller life we could take comfort even in the midst of our distress."

We have now had over three years of death and destruction, and the time must be fast approaching when the new life which must be the outcome of all this misery will be seen growing up amid the ruins of our old ideas, ideals and interests. The lives and deaths of the men who have fallen inspire within us two thoughts: The greatness to which they have attained and the stonement they have wrought.

Never was there such a glorious array of heroes on any page of history. The heroism and glory of their undertaking far outshines even the classic heroes of old. The greatness of our troops is past all conception. Save for a few thousand trained men at the beginning of the war, the Empire had to face with raw material the finest fighting machine the world has ever produced.

And how wonderfully they have accomplished their object, how cheerfully they have withstood against dangers without and discomfort within, how gallantly they have gone to death with songs on their lips, have accepted wounds, trench conditions and lack of food will be a theme which will never fittingly be expressed by either poet or historian. Our men were great in their fearlessness, heroic in spirit, magnificent in self-reliance, with noble ideals of the soldier's duty and humanitarian character; an army which nothing could ultimately defeat, and an army of deathless heroes.

We are conscious now of their greatness but had it not been for the war we could never have realized how truly heroic were those splendid men who have died so willingly for us.

An old belief of the ancients reads "There is something of blood there can be no statement." The son of men's statement was only accomplished by the outpouring of his blood, and the blood of our heroes has been shed for the attainment of our national aims. When will the statement be complete? Must no poor national aim be great indeed to demand such purgation.

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Why does Canada Raise Money by Selling Bonds?

BONDS are issued payable in ten or twenty years, as the case may be. It means that repayment of the money will be spread over ten or twenty years instead of being raised by taxation to meet current expenditures.

To raise by taxation all the money as fast as it is needed to carry on Canada's share in winning the war, would be an unbearable burden upon the people.

It would mean that more than a million dollars a day would have to be raised right now.

But to raise money by selling Canada's Victory Bonds means that those of the next generation who will benefit by the sacrifices this generation is making;

—who will share in the freedom this generation is fighting for and largely paying for—will also pay their share.

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And when you buy Canada's Victory Bonds you make a first-class business investment in a security that is absolutely safe, likely to enhance in value after the war, and bearing a good rate of interest.

You help the country by keeping open the British market for Canadian products and this helps the general welfare in which you share.

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And again, every Canadian who buys a Victory Bond becomes a financial partner or backer of Canada in the war.

When you buy a Canada Victory Bond

you give a personal pledge that you are going to help to win the war.

Every man and woman in Canada can help to win the war by buying Canada's Victory Bonds. And Canada wants the personal, individual interest and co-operation of every man and woman in the country.

The buying of Victory Bonds by the whole people unites them in a determination to win the war.

Every purchase of Canada's Victory Bonds is a blow for freedom against the tyranny of German Kultur.

Every bond sold is a new guarantee that Canada is in the war to the finish, until victory is with the Allies and the world has been made safe to live in.

So it is both patriotic and good business to

Buy Canada's Victory Bonds

Issued by Canada's Victory Loan Committee
in co-operation with the Minister of Finance
of the Dominion of Canada.

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TOWN COUNCIL

Calgary Esta Humble Pie but
Council Not Satisfied
More Town Lots Sold

The meeting of the Council held on Monday was attended by a full membership (excepting, of course, Councillor Torgan).

The business transacted was comparatively light, though the presence of Joe. Wright on behalf of the Crown Lumber Co. and Mr. McIntosh of the C.P.R., introduced a little interest into an otherwise dull session.

Joe. Wright presented to explain that his Company had not realized that the demand for property in Bassano was higher than elsewhere, and implored the Council to give them a chance to buy in some property which had already been purchased by a more wide-awake citizen, and on which the Company had a mortgage lien. The Council listened to turn Joe down and suggested that he might purchase a few lots elsewhere as they were unable to reverse the proceedings of sale.

Geo. Sprenger made application for the lots 27 to 40, block 10, for which he offered the sum of \$100.00. Needless to say the Council granted this sale.

The City of Calgary having realized that the council mean business and finding themselves in a somewhat ridiculous position by reason of their attempts to sidestep their promise wrote the council as follows:

"That this council assure the Town of Bassano that the first money by-law to be submitted to the ratepayers of the city covering capital expenditure will be to provide for the installation of a sewage disposal plant."

The council, after mature consideration, and upon remembering certain other promises of a like nature without discovering anything of a concrete nature emanating therefrom, and finding also that Bassano doesn't have to eat (or drink) Calgary's vomit any more passed the following motion:

"That in view of the repeated promises made by His Worship Mayor Cassella and the Calgary City Council the afore-said Council be notified that upon a by-law being submitted and passed by the ratepayers of the city of Calgary, authorizing the construction of a sewage disposal plant, this council will reconsider the present injunction proceedings."

A letter was received from Fred Brennan asking for storm doors, windows etc, for his house, and for the pumping station, and was referred to Chas. McIntosh for his consideration.

GEM THEATRE.

Programmes For The Week.

Friday and Saturday—The popular Jap Screen Hayakawa in "The Soul of Kure-San."

Monday and Tuesday—the first of the Mutual Masterpieces Richard Bennett in "The Gilded Youth."

Wednesday and Thursday, Anita King in the "Hats to Heroes."

Friday and Saturday—"The Road to Love."

Manager Torgan begs to assure his patrons that his substitution of Mutual Film Service for the Fox will enable him to give a more general satisfaction.

Bassano Amateur Dramatic Society

A meeting for the purpose of reorganizing the B. A. D. S. was held in M. E. LeZer's Office on Saturday last.

The balance for last season showed that the Society had contributed a sum of \$50 to the different patriotic Societies through their success last season exclusive of the sum raised by the performance at Brooks.

It was decided to go ahead with the good work and, if possible, extend the scope of the Society to include some of the better works.

The officers for the ensuing year were appointed as follows:

President—E. G. Allen.
Sec. Treas.—F. J. Mallor.
Executive—Mrs. Morlock, Miss Draper, Messrs. F. Thomas and A. Swain.
Stage Director—M. E. LeZer.
Manager—E. Cassella.

Bassano Chautauqua NOVEMBER 21 - 22 - 23.

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Managing Editor: - E. G. Allen

Considerable criticism is being evoked by the unconstitutional methods of those who have taken upon themselves the privilege of selecting candidates for the forthcoming election.

There may be method in the madness of usurping the constitutional right of the electors to nominate their own candidates, but we are firmly convinced that there is

madness in the method and we unhesitatingly urge our readers to insist upon their constitutional rights and be allowed to use their prerogative in the selection of candidates whom they desire to represent them at Ottawa.

If the government is to be united it must have the bulk of the people behind it, and we fail to see how any intelligent electorate could fittingly express their wishes or support to a candidate who has been foisted upon them.

Let the constitution stand and

do not attempt to usurp the privilege of an enlightened democracy is our advice to Senator Loughheed and his cohorts.

WHY?

We have been asked "Why should we buy Victory Bonds?"

Much depends upon the point of view, of course, and perhaps it would help some people who cannot yet see the necessity if we were to emphasize a few reasons from different points.

First of all from the investors' view point. Victory Bonds bear interest at the rate of 5 1/2 per cent. They have the security of the Dominion of Canada behind them, and they will be easily negotiable. You only have to pay a deposit of 10 per cent on allotment the further payments, extending over a period of 6 months. The bonds bearing interest on the total allotment all the time.

Secondly, the farmers' side—why should he invest? With the aid of the Loan Canada will be able to purchase our surplus wheat and by so doing will guarantee the price of \$2.21 per bushel. The farmer by investing in Victory Bonds is thus contributing to his own prosperity. Unless the loan is fully subscribed Canada will not be able to buy the wheat and the price will rapidly fall to pre-war levels if not lower. Thus by not purchasing the bonds the farmers will depreciate their own interests.

Thirdly, from a patriotic stand. By purchasing the Bonds we shall aid materially in winning the war, for the successful issue of the Victory Loan will mean that Canada will be enabled to furnish munitions and food to Britain, and be able to support her army, and pay the soldiers' wages, and will be able also to keep up the pensions and separation allowances.

It must not be forgotten that the whole amount will be spent in Canada and for war purposes only.

Patriotism begins at home but that is no reason why it should stay at home.

Fair Warning!

Tea has advanced, and is going to be still higher, transportation alone is now 19c. per pound.

We are still selling our special blend, which is put up expressly for us at the old price of

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The Military  Service Act, 1917

DON'T DELAY! Do It TODAY

THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT is passed; the Proclamation issued October 13th. It is now the bounden duty of every man in Class One to report for service or claim exemption. This includes all bachelors and widowers without children (not otherwise excepted) who were 20 years old on the 13th October, 1917, and whose 34th birthday did not occur before January 1st, 1917.

What To Do

Go to your Post Office and ask for the form for reporting for service or for claiming exemption. The form contains clear instructions for filling in. Do this not later than **NOVEMBER 10th.**

Beware of the Last Minute Rush

With so many thousands of reports and claims to be dealt with, the rush of Class One Men will grow heavier day by day. You will waste less of your time and serve your own best interests if you avoid the inevitable rush on the last days.

The law is being enforced with the Government and the People firmly behind it. Obey the law. Do it today.

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MILITARY SERVICE ACT 1917

For the Attention of Class One Men

The location of The Exemption Tribunals in this district is as follows—

TRIBUNALS, Alta., No. 15, Bassano
Alta., No. 14, Retlaw

These Tribunals will commence to deal with claims for exemption on November 8th.

All claims for exemption must be made not later than November 10th.

Those who make or have made their claim for exemption in writing through the Post Office will receive notice by registered letter of date on which their claim will be dealt with.

Those who neglect to make use of the Post Office must present themselves in person at a Tribunal on November 8th, 9th or 10th, and they will then be informed as to when their claims will be dealt with.

Reports for service must be made on or before November 10th through the Post Office.

Severe penalties are provided by law for failure to report for service or claim exemption as above.

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Election News

Non-Partisan and Socialist Candidates Selected

The Non-Partisan League held its convention for the Bow River Riding on Tuesday and D. H. Galbraith was chosen as candidate.

Conrad J. W. Reid is the nominee of the Socialists according to the manifesto issued some time ago.

It is high time that a convention of the liberal and conservative supporters of the Union Government was held, if we are to have a Union Candidate, who will represent the unity of liberal and conservative opinion in the constituency; otherwise we shall have to accept a candidate who will represent the machine politicians of the province, (of both parties) only.

We would suggest that a meeting of local Conservatives and Liberals be held immediately to make preliminary arrangements for a Union convention which could be held at Calgary.

Presbyterian Church Notes

The young folks at the Presbyterian Church are having a social gathering on Friday night in connection with the newly formed Young Peoples' Society.

Service on Sunday at the Presbyterian Church at 7:30 p.m. Subject "The Call of Christ."

QUEENSTOWN

The harvest supper and dance held in the Pioneer School (Sunday eve) for the purpose of raising money for U. F. A. work in the province, was a great success. An enormous crowd turned out and the school house was overflowed.

Petitions are now being circulated to have the Provincial Government and Municipal Council, under the proposed Snake Lake between Assiniboia and Regina, M. J. Moore's place. This will be the center road running east and west in the district.

It has been decided to build a farmers hall at a spot between Assiniboia, Moose and M. Moore's, which is claimed to be the center of the district, just as soon as the necessary amount of money can be subscribed.

There will be a box social held in the Queenstown School Friday eve Nov. 16th for the purpose of raising money for the same purpose.

The piles for the new Cluny bridge has been driven one-third out in the stream and if sufficient work can be kept on during the winter the bridge will be ready for service in the spring.

A number of Queenstown farmers went to Calgary last Tuesday to take part in the Non-Partisan Convention held there for this constituency.

Jack Northey, one of the old timers in Queenstown, who used to be well met to travelling crews, was found dead in Calgary last week.



SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST LAND REGULATIONS

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age who has obtained a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-agency), on certain conditions.

Dulles—Six months residence upon cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section, available land homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

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A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a pre-empted homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Dulles—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 60 acres and erect a house worth \$300.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Lava stock may be submitted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. CORRY, C. M. G., Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

N. R. (Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.)

Memorial Service

Continued from front page

These men have sacrificed their lives on the altar of national unity; their bodies are in far off nameless graves but their souls, pardoned and redeemed may enter the abode of the ether and the joy of endless progression and peace."

Mr. Sainsbury concluded his address by a quotation from Coleridge, "What they are now we know not! They will be a beautiful likeness of the God that gave them work to do which they did so well."

The service throughout was marked by the solemn and earnestness of the congregation and the singing of the beautiful well known hymns was especially hearty.

Mrs. Natter presided at the organ and added greatly to the effect of the service by her able and expressive accompanying of the hymns.

General Chautauqua Story

Twenty years ago began a movement at Chautauqua Lake, N. Y., which now includes 5,000 annual assemblies in Canada and the U. S. It brings the highest class of instruction, inspiration and entertainment to over 15,000,000 people. It could not secure such remarkable programs were it not for the modern Chautauqua system. This greatest talent is thus secured at the end of the earth and brought into towns and communities of all sizes, wherever public-spirited citizens are willing to make it possible by guaranteeing the sale of enough season tickets to barely cover the expenses. Some of the talent brought to Banquet this week had to be secured two and three years in advance.

Chautauqua is primarily a builder of civilization, not a money-making enterprise. It is maintained by local associations all over the United States and Canada, and is now beginning to spread to England, Australia and other countries. To be on the Chautauqua map has come to be an indication of culture and civic enterprise.

We are proud to announce that the Chautauqua Festival attractions this year will include the Royal Hawaiian Quartet led by Captain Napier, on the "Night of the Carnival Dance," the Chautauqua Festival Orchestra, and Walter E. Stern with his lecture, "The Far Country."

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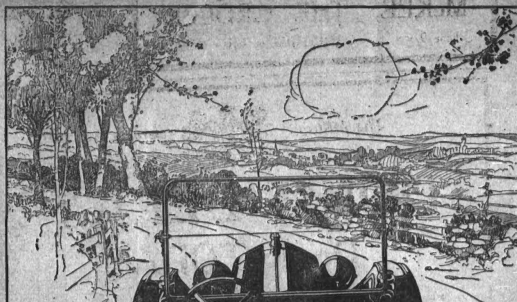
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STILES, The Druggist

Local and Personal.

Barn—To Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Brooks a son, on Saturday last.
Ray and Mrs. Smith were Calgary visitors last week.

Dr. W. O. Nelson made a business trip to Calgary on Friday.
Burn—To Mr. and Mrs. Pinner a son on Saturday last.

Mr. Barth of Calgary arrived in town on Monday to relieve A. G. Bond during the Federal Elections.

A Masquerade Ball and Chicken Supper is to be given at Edselburgh on November 23rd. There'll be chicken for everyone, and lots of fun.

Service at the Anglican Church on Sunday next will be the Celebration of the Holy Communion at 11 a.m.

An unusual undertaking will be staged during Chautauqua days when Mrs. Giesler will sell her \$30,000 stock by public auction.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Douglas will their daughter were the guests of Mrs. F. Berry for the weekend.

Have you decided how much of the Victory Loan you ought to take?

Don't forget the Masquerade Dance tomorrow night. It's to be the biggest and best yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Patten left on Thursday for Calgary where they intend to spend the winter months.

Grandpa and Grandma Galarneau, who put the Gals in Galarneville arrived in town last week for their winter sojourn.

A. G. Bond, who has been appointed Returning Officer for the Bow River Riding, left for Calgary on Thursday last to make preliminary arrangements for the election.

F. D. Williamson has just purchased the Duck Lake Ranch herd of cattle numbering around 800 head. The price, we understand, was \$40,000.

Chautauqua will soon be here. Have you secured your season? You will have to hurry to get one for they are selling like the Victory Bonds as well as usual.

The sympathy of his many friends is being accorded L. Toth who received word last week from his father, that his brother, who enlisted with the 92nd at Saskatoon had been killed in action.

The Chautauqua Club beg to announce that the committee have arranged for refreshments to be served at the Masquerade Dance tomorrow. The price of admission will be \$1.00 per couple and 50 cts. for extra lady.

Will those who have plates belonging to the Women's Auxiliary, in connection with their Sale of Home Cooking, please return as soon as possible to Mrs. H. S. Johnson.

At the last meeting of the Red Cross Society the chairman of the Victory Loan Committee invited the ladies to appoint a committee to sell bonds in the town. The invitation was accepted and the following ladies appointed: Mrs. Bradin, Mrs. Chas. Harris, Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Murdoch. This will be killing two birds with one stone, with a vengeance.

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Compulsory Service in 1863

Voluntary System Gave Place To
Conscription Under Lincoln

It is a matter of record in United States history that President Lincoln, after attempting to prosecute the Civil War with volunteer troops, at last, in 1863, turned to conscription in order to secure the necessary forces.

Since Lincoln is regarded as one of the greatest statesmen this country has produced, it is instructive at the present time of Canadian history, to see how he dealt with the problem that arose.

The President was warned that grave disorders might follow the enforcement of the conscription law, which it was agreed, was in operation to the constitutional privileges and liberties of the citizen.

Lincoln took the ground that democracy means an equal share in the burden, as well as in the blessings of a republic, and decided on the firm enforcement of the law. All opposition was finally repressed.

On entering the present war, the United States profited by past experience and promptly adopted compulsory service.

Now that Canada has adopted a similar course she is in a better position to do her full share and though opposition is unchecked, for, reparative measures are provided in the Act, A-31.

Liberal Convention For The Province of Alberta

A Convention of Liberals opposed to the Borden Government will be held
AT EDMONTON.

On Saturday, November 10th 1917
at 10 o'clock a.m.

to discuss the issues of the impending elections and to complete a Provincial organization.

Every Liberal opposed to the Borden Government is invited to attend the convention; and if convenient, a meeting of local Liberals should be held in each town, village or polling division.

At the convention the delegates from each of the 12 Dominion constituencies will appoint 10 voting delegates.

Arrangements have been made for a single fare for the round trip.

Delegates will purchase one-way tickets to Edmonton and at the same time obtain standard coupon certificates from their local railway agents. At Edmonton return tickets will be issued free.

Further information as to special trains will be given through the newspapers.

LET THE PEOPLE RULE

ALEX ALLAN,

President, Provincial Liberal Association

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian Church will hold a Chicken Supper and Sale of Work in the church, on Friday November 16th. Sale of Work commences at 8:30 and supper served from six to eight.

The Postmaster desires to call the attention of those interested to the fact that registered letters from the Registrar, fixing the dates for their appearance before the local tribunal are awaiting several men in this district.

L. L. Caldwell the advance agent of Chautauqua arrived in town on Tuesday, and found everything working like a clock. The ticket sale is progressing beyond the most sanguine expectations and it is anticipated that the house will be sold out before the end of the week. You had better secure your ticket now.

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